

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

QUENTIN C. LASTER,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 06-13508, 05-71140

v.

District Judge John Corbett O'Meara
Magistrate Judge R. Steven Whalen

DR. GEORGE PRAMSTALLER, et al.,

Defendants.

ORDER

Plaintiff Quentin Laster, a *pro se* prison inmate, has renewed his request for the appointment of counsel [Docket #66 in Case #06-13508, Docket #75 in Case No. 05-71140], his previous motion having been denied on December 26, 2007. A summary judgment motion is presently pending. As I stated in my previous order, it is the practice of this Court to defer any attempt to obtain counsel for *pro se* civil rights Plaintiffs until after motions to dismiss or motions for summary judgment have been denied.

Therefore, Plaintiff's motions for the appointment of counsel are DENIED.

SO ORDERED.

S/R. Steven Whalen
R. STEVEN WHALEN
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Dated: February 25, 2009

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a copy of the foregoing order was served on the attorneys and/or parties of record by electronic means or U.S. Mail on February 25, 2009.

S/G. Wilson
Judicial Assistant